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Director Hannigan:

Please chart a "<u>smarter course</u>" for California through the "CALFED Bay/Delta" program—a plan for how to protect and use California's water resources for the next 50 years.

I am requesting that you choose to:

- 1. IMPROVE WATER QUALITY
- 2. PROTECT OUR WATERSHEDS AND FISHERIES
- 3. MAKE OUR COMMUNITIES SELF-RELIANT

It is my opinion, (as well as others), that we must invest in water efficiency <u>before</u> considering new dams or reservoirs.

We <u>need to restore</u> our rivers, bays and fisheries by providing fresh adequate water and caring for the land around the rivers.

We <u>must improve</u> our water quality for the people and the wildlife by enforcing pollution limits.

Last, but not least, we must <u>stop making California taxpayers pay</u> for the bill for studies of new dams and reservoirs that flood valuable habitat and remove needed water from our rivers.

Respectfully,

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